## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS AUSTIN DIVISION

PAMELA COLVIN,	§
Plaintiff,	§ § 8
v.	§ CIVIL ACTION NO.: A 08 CA 515LY
TITEFLEX CORPORATION, GASTITE DIVISION, and CLARK SIMMONS HOMES, INC.	§ § § §
Defendants.	§ §
STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS COUNTY OF HAMDEN	§ § §

## AFFIDAVIT OF MARK HARRIS

Before me the undersigned notary public of Massachusetts personally appeared Mark Arthur Harris who under oath stated the following.

- My name is Mark Arthur Harris. I am over eighteen years of age. I am competent to make this affidavit. I am currently the General Manager of the Gastite division of Titeflex Corporation ("Titeflex"). I have been an employee of Titeflex since 1989.
- 2. The facts in this affidavit are true and correct and based on my personal knowledge as a corporate employee of Titeflex. I have personal knowledge of Titeflex's practices related to Titeflex's sales, marketing and distribution for corrugated stainless steel tubing ("CSST").
- Titeflex designs and manufactures CSST. CSST has been approved for use as a gas conduit
  in commercial and residential construction by building code officials across the United
  States, including Hays County.

- 4. To the best of my knowledge, the Consumer Product Safety Commission has not promulgated any consumer product safety rule, order or standard with respect to Titeflex or Titeflex's CSST product, Gastite.
- 5. Titeflex has not made any report to the Consumer Product Safety Commission related to its CSST product, Gastite.

This concludes my affidavit.

Subscribed to before me the undersigned notary public by <u>ڪرٽ</u> day of July, 2009. MUTIC HERris on the

State of Massachusetts

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Notary Public My Commission Expires March 12, 2015 Commonwealth of Massachusetts